

# The Hongkong Telegraph.

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SIX DOLLARS  
PER QUARTER

## Banks.

### HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL .....\$7,500,000  
RESERVE FUND .....4,400,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF  
PROPRIETORS .....7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS—  
CHAIRMAN—W. H. FORBES, Esq.  
DEPUTY CHAIRMAN—H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq.  
W. G. BRODIE, Esq.  
T. E. DAVIES, Esq.  
H. HOPKINS, Esq.  
Hon. J. J. KESWICK.  
B. LAYTON, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER—  
HONGKONG—G. E. NOBLE, Esq.  
MANAGER.  
SHANGHAI—JOHN WALTER, Esq.  
LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND  
COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.  
ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT  
at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the  
daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS—  
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.  
For 6 months, 4 per cent. per annum.  
For 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.  
CREDITS granted on approved Securities,  
and every description of BANKING and  
EXCHANGE business transacted.  
DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief  
commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,  
America, China and Japan.

G. E. NOBLE,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 10th January, 1890.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK  
CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL .....£2,000,000.  
PAID-UP CAPITAL .....£500,000.

LONDON:  
Head Office.....49, Threadneedle Street.  
West End Office.....25, Cockspur Street.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, PERSSIA, CHINA, JAPAN  
AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT,  
buys and sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE,  
ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards BILLS for  
COLLECTION, and Transacts Banking and  
Agency Business generally, on terms to be had  
on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:  
Fixed for 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum  
" 6 " 4 " " "  
" 3 " 3 " " "

ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS  
2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

AGENCY OF THE NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE  
SOCIETY.

H. A. HERBERT,  
Manager.  
HONGKONG BRANCH.

## RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

1.—THE BUSINESS of the above BANK  
will be conducted by the HONGKONG  
AND SHANGHAI BANKING  
CORPORATION, at their premises in  
Hongkong, Business Hours on WEEK-  
DAYS, 10 to 4; SATURDAYS, 10 to 12.

2.—SUMS LESS THAN \$1, or MORE THAN  
\$250 at one time will not be received. No  
Depositor may deposit more than \$250 in  
any one year.

3.—DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK,  
having \$100, or more, at their credit may  
at their option transfer the same to the HONG-  
KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING  
CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12  
months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4.—INTEREST at the rate of 3 1/2 % per  
annum will be allowed to Depositors on  
their daily balances.

5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis  
with a PASS-BOOK, which must be presented  
with each payment or withdrawal.  
Depositors must not make any entries them-  
selves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send  
them to be written up at least twice a year,  
about the beginning of January and  
beginning of July.

6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business  
of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG  
SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be  
forwarded free by the various British Post  
Offices in Hongkong and China.

7.—WITHDRAWALS may be made on demand,  
but the personal attendance of the  
Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and  
the production of his PASS-BOOK, are  
necessary.

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION,  
G. E. NOBLE,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1890.

## JUST RECEIVED.

SWEET CORN and LAWN GRASS  
SEED.

For sowing during the Month of February,  
In Patches—Price 50 Cents Each.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd.,  
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1890.

THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that a SECOND  
CALL of Seven Dollars per Share in the  
above Company is due on the 15th day of  
March next, and is payable at the Hongkong  
and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

INTEREST at the rate of Twelve per cent.  
per annum will be charged on all Calls unpaid  
on the due date.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, 5th February, 1890.

## Intimations.

### HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary  
Half Yearly MEETING of SHARE-  
HOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at  
the City Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY,  
the 22nd day of February next, at 12 o'clock Noon,  
for the purpose of receiving the Report of the  
Court of Directors together with a Statement of  
Accounts to 31st December, 1889.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
G. E. NOBLE,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 31st January, 1890.

### HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGIS-  
TER of SHARES of the Corporation  
will be CLOSED, from SATURDAY, the 8th,  
to SATURDAY, the 22nd day of February  
next, (both days inclusive), during which period  
no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors,  
G. E. NOBLE,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 31st January, 1890.

### THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE TWENTY-FIRST ORDINARY  
ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE-  
HOLDERS in the above Company will be held  
at the Office of the Company, Piddar's Street,  
on MONDAY, the 24th February instant, at  
Three o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a  
Statement of Accounts to the 31st December,  
1889, the Report of the General Managers, and  
to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th day  
of February instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1890.

### HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.  
THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING  
of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the  
Office of the Company No. 14, Praya Central,  
on MONDAY, the 24th instant, at 4 P.M., for  
the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors  
and Statement of Accounts to 31st December,  
1889.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th  
instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1890.

### THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE SECOND ORDINARY MEETING of  
the Company will be held at the Hong-  
kong Hotel, on TUESDAY, the 25th February,  
1890, at 4 P.M.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 25th inst.,  
both days inclusive.

By Order,  
A. G. GORDON & Co., Ltd.,  
Managers.

Hongkong, 10th February, 1890.

### GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary  
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will  
take place at the Hongkong Hotel, on FRIDAY,  
the 28th of February, 1890, at 4 o'clock  
Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement  
of Accounts, and the Report of the Directors  
for the year ending 31st December, 1889.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 28th day  
of February, both days inclusive.

J. FOREMAN,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1890.

### THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWENTY-FIRST ORDINARY  
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in  
the Company will be held at the Company's  
Office No. 5, Queen's Road, Victoria, on MON-  
DAY, the 24th February next, at 12 o'clock  
Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement  
of Accounts, and the report of the Directors  
for the year ending 31st December, 1889.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th  
instant, both days inclusive.

By Order,  
GEO. L. TOMLIN,  
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1890.

### CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Twelfth Ordinary Annual MEETING  
of SHAREHOLDERS in the above  
Company will be held at the Office of the General  
Agents, Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY,  
the 6th March, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose  
of receiving a Report from the General Agents,  
with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st  
December, 1889.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 21st February to the  
6th March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Agents.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1890.

## Intimations.

### W. POWELL & CO.

EX S.S. "GLENFINLAS"  
FIRST DELIVERIES

LADIES' and CHILDREN'S WHITE STRAW HATS.  
These goods have been manufactured for us by special arrangement on the earliest  
Spring models.

W. POWELL & CO.

Victoria Exchange,  
Hongkong, 3rd February, 1890.

### LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

HONGKONG RACES!  
BUCKSKIN RACING SADDLES with  
furniture 3d. complete.  
Nicholls' best Buckskin Racing Saddles.  
Single and Double Breeches, and Blits.  
Extra Light Racing Belts.  
Sunglasses, Girths, Rollers, Weight Cloths.  
Stirrup Leather & Webs, Headstalls, Cruppers.  
Halters, Knee Caps, Fetlock Boots.

FOR SALE.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1890.

### KELLY & WALSH, LD.

PRACTICAL AND USEFUL HAND BOOKS.

WHIST, by Dr. W. Pole, 40 cts.  
Billiards, by General Rayson, 40 cts.  
Bowling & Sculling, by W. H. Woodgate, 40 cts.  
Golf by W. T. Linskill, 40 cts.  
Fencing, by H. A. Colmore Dunn, 40 cts.  
Fragments & Backgammon, by Berkeley, 40 cts.  
Boo, of Ready made speeches, 40 cts.  
Complete Letter Writer, 40 cts.  
Young Ladies' Guide to the Work Table, 60 cts.  
Gossip's Chess Players' Text Book, 75 cts.  
Sailing, by F. F. Knight, 75 cts.  
P. & O. Pocket Guide for Homeward bound  
Passengers, 75 cts.  
Year Book of Photography, 40 cts.  
Standards and Flags of all Nations, 40 cts.  
Bryan's Cricketers' Guide, 25 cts.  
Rules of Quoitt Playing, 15 cts.  
Rules of Amateur Boxing Association, 15 cts.  
Standard Opera Glass—detailed plots of 90  
Operas, 75 cts.  
Beale's Calisthenics and Light Gymnastics for  
Young Folks, \$1.  
Art of Training Animals, 75 cts.  
Burdett's Heroic Recitations, 40 cts.  
Common Sense Cook Book, 40 cts.

### W. BREWER.

HAS JUST RECEIVED

NEW Fancy Cabinet Photo Frames.  
Portable Music Cases.  
Travelling Stationery Cases.  
New designs in Inkstands.  
Hazel's Cyclopaedia, 1890.  
Whitaker's Almanack, "  
Almanack de Gelas."  
New Work on Artillery, by a German Prince.  
Queen's Regulations & Admiralty Instructions.

New Tennis Bats.  
Porcelain Plates.  
Sweet Caporal Cigarettes.  
Brown Russia Shoes.  
Patent Leather Shoes.  
Kid Shoes.  
New French Engravings.  
New Framed Pictures.  
Card Boxes.

W. BREWER,  
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

Hongkong, 7th February, 1890.

### CALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co.

WINE MERCHANTS.  
SPIRIT MERCHANTS.  
ALE & STOUT MERCHANTS.  
8, PEDDER'S STREET.

### ROBERT LANG & CO.,

TAILORS, HATTERS, SHIRTMAKERS, AND GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTERS.

## NEW GOODS.

Ulsters & Inverness CAPES.  
Chesterfield & Covert COATS.  
Cheviot & Saxony SUITINGS.  
STYLISH TROUSERSINGS.  
RACING COLORES.  
RIDING BREECHES.

Ladies' HABITS.  
" JACKETS.  
ULSTERS.  
New Felt Hats (latest styles).  
DRAW SHELL HATS.  
Single & Double TERAH HATS.

BOOTS and SHOES.  
Gent's DRESS SHIRTS.  
" UNDERCLOTHING.  
Travelling RUGS & MAUDS  
GLADSTONE BAGS.  
PORTMANTEAUS, &c., &c.

Hongkong, 3rd February, 1890.

## GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

THE Government Central School for GIRLS,  
under the superintendence of Miss  
MIRANDA MANN, will be open, for girls of  
all nationalities, on 1st March next, at No. 16,  
Hollywood Road.

Instruction will be given in English (for which  
a FEE of HALF A DOLLAR a month will be  
charged), also in Chinese and in needlework.  
For particulars and entries of scholars, applica-  
tion may be made to the Inspector of Schools or,  
after 24th instant, at the School, to the Head-  
mistress.

By Command,  
F. FLEMING,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Hongkong, 12th February, 1890.

RACES! RACES! RACES!  
J. S. LUCAS, No. 3 STAND, begs to extend  
a free invitation to all his Patrons and  
Friends.

Refreshments Provided.

Hongkong, 11th February, 1890.

## Intimations.



BY APPOINTMENT.  
A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

(Established A.D. 1841).

### THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS.  
ANALYTICAL  
FAMILY, DISPENSING, AND GENERAL  
CHEMISTS.  
PERFUMERS.  
PATENT MEDICINE PROPRIETORS.  
SEEDSMEN.

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS.  
Manufacturers of  
AERATED WATERS  
By Steam Machinery.

CIGAR IMPORTERS, &c., &c.

IN submitting an abridged Synopsis of a few  
of the chief lines of goods included in our  
business, we beg to state that we import Drugs,  
Chemicals and Goods of every kind of the best  
description only—no other quality is kept in  
stock.

Our long experience and intimate acquaint-  
ance with the Trade, and the best sources of  
supply, enable us to purchase direct from the  
Producers on the very best terms, and thus  
give us an advantage which enables us to offer  
our constituents the benefit of a considerable  
reduction in the price of all our Specialities as  
compared with similar articles sold elsewhere.

We wish it to be clearly understood that  
our prices cannot be beaten by any other firm in  
the Colony, and we trust it will soon become  
generally known that, quality for quality, our  
charges are all round comparative with those of  
local rates and in most instances with those  
ruling at home.

Experienced qualified English Assistants  
ONLY are employed in the preparation and dis-  
pensing of Medicines.

Analysis of all kinds.—We are in a position  
to well attend to the interests of our Clients.

FAMILY AND DOMESTIC MEDICINES.  
AND OTHER GOODS AND APPLIANCES  
KEPT IN STOCK.

### NURSERY AND INVALIDS' REQUISITES.

Infants' Feeding Bottles, Ditts' Brushes and  
Teats, Food Warmers, Lamps, and Nightlights.  
Invalids' Feeding Cups, and Tubes.  
Breast Relievers, Nipple Shields, Violet  
Powder, Puff Boxes, and Puffs.

Infants' Food of all kinds.  
BRAND'S Essence of Beef, Mutton, Chicken,  
Veal, &c.  
LIXBIO'S Extract of Beef.  
VALENTINE'S Meat Juice.

Condensed Milk, Corn Flour, Bermuda Arrow-  
root, Russian Isinglass, Prepared Grouse,  
Genuine Mustard, &c.

### MEDICAL AND DOMESTIC APPLIANCES, &c.

Cholera Belts, Metal and Earthenware Bed  
Pans, Disinfectants and Medicated Toilet  
Papers, Fumigating Pastilles, Vaporizers, &c.,  
&c.

SOUTHALL'S Sanitary Towels for Ladies' use.  
Ear and Enema Syringes, Bougies, Catheters,  
Pessaries, Trusses, Elastic Silk Stockings, Knee  
Caps, Anklets, Wrists, and Bandages of all  
kinds.

Urinals, Male or Female, in Glass, Earthen-  
ware, and India Rubber.  
Water-proof Sheeting.  
Ice Bags for Head and Spine.

Bronchitis Kettles, Hot Water Bottles.  
Chest and Lung Protectors.  
Adhesive Plaster, Court Ditto.  
Corn and Bunion Plasters.

Lint, Oiled Silk, Gutta Percha Tissue.  
Japanese Hot Boxes, Air Chambers.  
Mustard Leaves, Spongio Pilule.  
Lined Meal for Poultices, Poultice Bags,  
&c., &c.

Minimum Measures, Medicine Glasses and  
Spoons, Champagne and Soda Water Taps,  
Seltzogenes, &c.

Eye Baths, Droppers and Douches, Throat  
Sprays, Inhalers and Insufflators, Stethoscopes,  
Hypodermic Syringes.

THERMOMETERS, &c.  
Chemical, Clinical, and Bath Thermometers.  
Six's Minimum and Maximum Thermometers,  
Alcoholometers, Bromometers, Galvanometers,  
Hydrometers, Lactometers, Urinometers, Spec-  
ific Gravity Bottles, Flasks, Test Tubes, Test  
Papers, &c., &c.

SUN SPECTACLES and GOGGLES  
with Blue, Green, and Smoked Glasses, Eye  
Preservers and Shades of all kinds.

### DENTAL AND SURGICAL INSTRU- MENTS.

Ear Cornets, and Trumpets, Conversation  
Tubes, Corn Knives and Rubbers, Camed Hair  
Pencils, Ligator Catgut, Silver Wire, Practition-  
ers' Knives and Scissors, Pocket Dressing  
Cases and Instruments, Probing, Respirators,  
Dispensing Scales and Weights.

MEDICINE CHESTS.  
Medicine Chests for family and travellers' use.  
Ships' Medicine Chests fitted in accordance  
with the regulations of the Board of Trade.  
Medicine Chests refitted complete at a few  
hours' notice.

Medicine Chest Guides containing a list of  
useful Domestic Medicines with their Properties  
and Doses.

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES.  
Magneto-Electric Machines for the Cure of  
Nervous Diseases, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, &c.  
Electric Hair Brushes for preventing baldness.  
Electrostatic Belts for Dyspepsia, Rheuma-  
tism, Lumbago, &c.

Electric Bells, Batteries, Pushes, Indicators,  
Wire, and appliances generally.

HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINES.  
We always have on hand a varied assortment  
of those kinds in most general demand.

VACCINE.  
We import regular supplies of Pure Fresh  
Calf Lymph by every Mail from England,  
Vaccine Lancets, and Vaccination Shields.

WATER FILTERS.  
SILICATED CARBON FILTER Co.'s  
AND  
MAWSON & SWAN'S (Patent).  
In Glass and Terra Cotta for Table use.  
Earthenware for ordinary Domestic Purposes.  
Pocket Filters for Travellers.

## Intimations.

### TOILET REQUISITES.

JOSEPH RODGERS & SONS, "SHEFFIELD"  
Razors, Scissors, and Penknives.  
Razor Straps, Paste, and Paper  
Ear, Tooth, and Nail Picks and Trimmers.  
Hand Mirrors, Toilet Sets.  
Glove, and Patent Drying Bottles.  
Dressing Combs.

Hair, Tooth, Nail, Bath and Shaving Brushes  
in great variety.  
Cosmetics, Hair Lotions and Pomades.  
Tooth Pastes, Powders and Soaps.  
Turco-Bath Gloves and Straps, Loofahs.  
Fine Turkey Cup and Honey Comb.  
Bath and Toilet Sponges of all sizes.  
Fine English Cut-glass Toilet Bottles and  
Perfume Spray Diffusers. An Elegant Assort-  
ment of various designs.

CHOICE PERFUMERY.  
English, French, and American.  
A large selection of all kinds kept in stock to  
choose from.

SAPS.  
Family, Toilet, Medicinal, and Transparent.  
In addition to those of our own make, all of  
which we can confidently recommend, we keep  
a large and varied assortment of the following  
well-known makes, viz:—  
Aikin's, Colgate's, Colgate's, Hendrie's,  
Lubin's, Pears' &c., &c.

GENUINE PATENT MEDICINES.  
European and American Patent Medicines,  
Sneezettes, and other Remedies imported  
direct from the Original Makers or their ap-  
pointed Agents.

Sole Agents for Burroughs, Wellcome &  
Co.'s New and Popular Remedies.  
Kepler's Extract of Malt—Ditto with Cod Liver  
Oil, Wyeth's Tablets—and Preparations of all  
kinds.

Fairchild's Digestive Peptonoid, Zymine,  
&c., &c.

SOLE AGENTS for Scott's Emulsion of Cod  
Liver Oil.

MINERAL WATERS OF ALL KINDS.  
Apolinaris, Carlsbad, Gastein, Friedrichshall,  
Humboldt, Jannet, Pullna, Vichy, &c.  
We import direct shipments of all the above  
regularly at short intervals.

PHOTOGRAPHIC GOODS.  
Photographic Apparatus, Chemicals, and  
Materials of all kinds suitable for Amateurs and  
Professionals, including Cameras, Lenses, Baths,  
Trays, Lamps, Mounts, &c.

Our Cameras and Lenses are of Exceptional  
quality, specially made for use in tropical climates  
and fitted with all the latest improvements.

CEAP SETS OF APPARATUS FOR AMATEURS  
AND TRAVELLERS. Three sizes, viz: 1 1/4, 1 1/2,  
and whole plate. Complete in strong Wood Cabinets.  
PHOTO CHEMICALS and SUNDRIES of all kinds  
at Moderate Prices.

Albumenized and Sensitized Papers.  
Thomson's Collodion and India  
DRY PLATES—Thomson's, Hford, and Wrattan  
& Wainwright's kept in Stock.

Price list of Photo. goods supplied gratis and  
post free on application.

FLOWER & VEGETABLE SEEDS.  
We import the newest and best varieties  
obtainable every season direct from the best  
growers in England, France, and Germany.  
Full Catalogue and price list (with "Hints for  
Gardening") to be had on application.

AERATED WATERS.  
Our Factory has been recently refitted with  
automatic Steam Machinery of the latest and  
most approved kind, and we are well able to  
compete in quality with the best English  
Makers.

The purest ingredients only are used, and the  
utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in the  
manufacture throughout.

For COAST PORTS—Waters are packed and  
placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and  
the full amount allowed for Packages & Empties  
when received in good order.

Analytical Reports and full particulars to be  
had on application.

WINES AND SPIRITS.  
We invite attention to our fine old landed  
Brands, all of which are of excellent quality and  
good value for the money.



## Intimations.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, LIMITED.  
CHEMISTS.  
SELECT MEDICINAL PREPARATIONS.

TONICS, &c.  
CHEMICAL FOOD, or Syrup of the Phosphate of Iron, Lime, Potash and Soda.

Prepared in strict accordance with the formula of Edward Tonic of Philadelphia.—An excellent Tonic for ladies and children.

Per bottle, 40, 70 Cents and \$1.25.  
Dr. Easton's Syrup of the Phosphate of Iron, Quinine, and Strychnine.

A prompt and powerful Tonic, very beneficial in all cases of debility, where there is susceptibility to fever. A certain specific in cases of exhaustion and want of nervous power, arising from over mental exertion and the depressing influence of the climate.

Per bottle, \$1 and \$1.75.  
Fournier's Liver Tonic or Compound Concentrated Chiretta Mixture.

This mixture is prepared from the recipe of a celebrated Indian physician. It is widely used throughout India and Burmah, as the most successful medicine in those cases of liver and kidney derangement, brought on by the evil effects of malaria, or too long residence in a tropical climate.

It is a powerful Tonic to the digestive organs, and gradually removes the most complicated forms of indigestion. Per bottle, \$1.50.

## WINES AND SPIRITS.



BY APPOINTMENT.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.  
(ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)  
HONGKONG.

WE invite attention to the following old brand Brandy, all of which are of excellent quality and good value for the money.

The same being specially selected by our London House, and brought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best quality at moderate prices.

In ordering it is only necessary to state the name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wanted, and initial letter for quality desired.

Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention.

PORTS. (For Invalids and general use.)

	Per Case.	Per Bot.
A. A's Douro, good quality, Green Capsule	\$10	\$1.00
B. Vintage, Superior quality, Red Capsule	12	1.10
C. Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Capsule	14	1.25
D. Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsule (Old Bottled)	18	1.50

## SHERRIES.

A. Delicate Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Capsule	6	0.60
B. Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule	7.50	0.75
C. Manzanilla, Pale, Natural Sherry, White Capsule	10	1.00
CC. Superior Old Dry, Pale Natural Sherry, Red Seal Capsule	10	1.00
D. Very Superior Old Pale Dry, choice old Wine, White Seal Capsule	14	1.52
E. Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old Bottled)	14	1.52

## CLARETS.

A. Superior Breakfast, Claret, Red Capsule	\$4	\$4.50
B. St. Estephe, Red Capsule	4.50	5.00
C. St. Julien	7	7.50
D. La Rose	11	12.00

## BRANDY.

A. Hennessy's Old Pale, Red Capsule	\$12	\$1.10
B. Superior Very Old Cognac, Red Capsule	14	1.25
C. Very Old Liqueur Cognac, Red Capsule	18	1.50
D. Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule	24	2.00

## SCOTCH WHISKY.

A. Thorne's Blend, White Capsule	8	0.75
B. Watson's Glenochy Mellow Blend, Blue Capsule with Name and Trade Mark	8	0.75
C. Watson's Aboulen Glenochy, Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark	8	0.75
D. Watson's H. K. D. Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule	10	1.00
E. Watson's Very Old Liqueur Scotch Whisky, Gold Capsule	12	1.10

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A. John Jameson's Old, Green Capsule	8	0.75
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D. Genuine BOURBON WHISKY, fine old, Red Capsule, with Name	10	1.00

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## THE NEWSPAPER LIBEL CASE.

## NOMINAL DAMAGES.

The Supreme Court to-day reminded one very much of the libel case, during the conclusion of the libel suit brought against the Hongkong Telegraph, by Oscar Brandt. The Acting Chief Justice and a special jury heard the case, and Mr. Robinson (instructed by Mr. Denny) appeared for the plaintiff.

Mr. Fraser-Smith, in opening his case, said that he might with the utmost confidence have left the issue to the judgment of the jury, without saying a single word, for he was perfectly certain that they were unanimous in the opinion that the plaintiff had indignantly collapsed in the attempt to prove his case. He had not taken that unusual course, but he would be brief, as his valuable time had already been taken up far too long.

The suit was a most simple one—it need not have taken more than three or four hours at the outside if the plaintiff had confined himself to the matter at issue, but by introducing a lot of extraneous matter for the purpose of proving special damages—although he was not seeking special damages—and unearthing a lot of dirty, evil-smelling letters of years gone by—letters that had nothing to do with the case—he had not only mixed up the issues but had wasted a good deal of valuable time and also compelled him (Mr. Fraser-Smith) in self-vindication, to deal with the matters which he had brought forward—He then read the pleadings and answer, and, continuing, said that the question really was whether he was justified, in his position as a journalist, in writing as he did of the plaintiff's conduct in the libel case.

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His lordship—I shall tell them that the article has particular reference to the Grimsby case. Mr. Fraser-Smith: The article is neither more nor less than an illustration showing what the plaintiff is accused of. His lordship will tell you that if you find that he did what he was accused of, "welsher" is a very proper term.

His lordship—I don't want to interrupt you, but you have not pleaded justification, and I don't see how the truth can be a defence, even if you prove it.

Mr. Fraser-Smith—I will leave you, gentlemen, to say, after you have heard the evidence, whether you think the plaintiff is entitled to a verdict. I think I may safely say that, however mistaken I may be in my views, I have done good—a very great deal of good—in the articles I have written against the enormous amount of share gambling which has proved so disastrous in this Colony. Time after time I have warned the public through the columns of my paper. I have almost invariably been right, and I think I have some claim on the public in this matter, and some claim on your attention as to having been inspired by malicious motives in writing this article. It was based, as has been shown, on the reports in the newspapers and on information I received as to the plaintiff's reckless dealings. By accident I was in Court and heard the final speeches and summing-up. You know the widespread ruin and misery which exists here at the present time. Don't you think men like Brandt are to blame for it? I have no hesitation in saying that men like Grimsby and Brandt have done the principal cause of it.

When a man without means, without standing—almost without character—goes and employs brokers wholesale to sell shares he does not possess I have no hesitation in saying that it is a thoroughly immoral practice, and one which is dishonest and opposed to the public good. We saw the brokers come in one by one yesterday—one of them apparently fresh from the nursery, who told us in piping tones that he had done business to the extent of \$50,000 for the plaintiff—a most disreputable state of things, which deserved to be thoroughly shewn up and exposed. I leave the law to his lordship to deal with, simply urging that a fair and honest comment on a judicial proceeding, in open Court, if not strictly accurate in detail, is not a libel.

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three months earlier, it is highly improbable that there will be a recurrence of such a disaster while we have tobacco in the fields. In December again there were very heavy rainstorms which tended greatly to lighten the leaf that was then on the trees. Mr. Kennedy, on his visit here, informed us that the Estate would ship 150 piculs in April next and from the report on the musters that have been sent home it would seem that the tobacco is likely to do well. By the last mail we received written reports from the London tobacco brokers, describing the leaf as of very good quality and silky texture; and if properly fermented and carefully assorted, the tobacco would meet with a ready sale at 2/6 to 3/ per lb. for the best leaves. This is very satisfactory and is important information as it proves that the Estate is capable of growing the desired quality of tobacco. Mr. Kennedy, when he was here in January for a few days, was very sanguine as to the future of the Estate and expects to get 80 piculs per field on the 150 fields he has commenced to open up. I trust his anticipations may be fulfilled and also that the small crop he expects to ship in April may prove the value of the Estate. Whilst regretting that I have not a more satisfactory report to lay before you, I would say that ours is not a singular experience, for, as shown in the report of the Shanghai Sumatra Company, which was recently published in the newspapers, although they had at first much the same experience as we have had, still it is now in a flourishing condition and with very bright prospects before it.

He then proposed the adoption of Report and accounts, which was seconded by Mr. A. G. Stokes, and carried.

Mr. A. G. Stokes proposed the re-election of the Consulting Committee, which J. Moffat seconded.

Mr. Layton proposed the re-election of auditors, and Mr. Dalympy seconded. Agreed.

Mr. A. G. Stokes having proposed a vote of thanks to the Chairman and Consulting Committee, the proceedings ended.

### THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the report for presentation to the shareholders at the twenty-first ordinary meeting to be held at the Company's office at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 24th February, 1890:—

Your Directors have the pleasure to submit the Accounts of the Company for the year ending 31st December last.

1888—The balance at credit of Working Account, as per Report, was \$223,443.19

Dividend of \$3 per Share, paid in 1889 \$60,000.00

Deduct Claims under 1888 policies paid in 1889 26,637.53

Deduct Return premium, &c., paid in 1889 2,732.70

\$3,370.23

Balance of Profit \$140,073.06

This amount the Directors propose to deal with as follows: \$60,000 as a final Dividend of \$3 per Share (making \$6 for the year); \$30,000 as Bonus on contributions of premium by Shareholders, and the balance, \$50,000, to Reserve Fund, increasing this account to \$70,000, which it is hoped will meet with the approval of the Shareholders.

1889—The balance at credit of Working Account at the close of this year is \$244,085.53, which your Directors trust may be considered satisfactory. It is proposed to pay a First Dividend of \$3 per Share out of the anticipated profits, as follows:—

Mr. Siebs resigned his seat at the Board on his departure from the Colony and Mr. H. Hopkin was invited to fill the vacancy. Shareholders will be requested to confirm this appointment. Messrs. Michaelson and Layton retire by rotation and offer themselves for re-election.

The accounts now presented have been audited by Messrs. Cox and Lyall, who are eligible for re-election.

P. RYRIE, Chairman.

BALANCE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER.

Liabilities.

Capital Account \$400,000.00

Reserve Fund 700,000.00

Accounts Payable 700,000.00

Final Dividend for 1888 \$60,000.00

Bonus for 1888 and sundries 37,611.36

Working Account 1889:—

Balance at Credit 244,085.53

1,441,756.89

Assets.

Cash at Bankers \$10,471.10

Fixed deposits at Bank 545,000.00

Invested in Bonds:—

Chinese Imp. Government Loans 212,146.66

B. C. & E. 212,146.66

Loans on Mortgage:—

On Properties in Hongkong \$485,775.00

On Properties in Shanghai 128,621.93

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., 614,390.93

Shares 512.00

Furniture, &c. 360.00

Office Furniture, &c. 360.00

Accounts Receivable:—

Premium due from Agents, Interest due on Deposits and Investments, &c. 49,684.80

\$1,441,756.89

WORKING ACCOUNT, 1ST JANUARY TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1889.

Dr.

To Charges Account:—

Rent, Salaries, Legal and Surveyors' Fees, Stamps, Stationery, &c., &c. \$18,519.76

Directors' and Auditors' Fees 7,300.00

\$25,819.76

To Fire Engine Working Account:—

Half Cost of Maintaining Steam Fire Engines and Volunteers' Brigades 2,388.64

To Commission Account:—

Agents Commissions 14,113.24

To Losses Account 1889:—

Claims accruing to this year paid 27,337.71

To Amount Written off:—

Furniture Account 40.00

To Balance 244,085.53

\$313,784.88

Cr.

By Premium Account:—

Net amount of Premium collected \$219,750.85

Less Re-insurances 4,768.40

\$214,982.45

By Interest Account:—

Amount at Credit, including Interest due on Deposits and Investments, &c. \$5,793.39

By Exchange Account:—

Amount at Credit 1,830.38

By Transfer fee Account:—

Amount at Credit 235.20

By Fire Engine Account:—

Amount at Credit after sale of Steam Fire Engine, &c. at Shanghai 943.56

\$313,784.88

E. & O. E.

GEO. L. TOMLIN, Acting Secretary.

We have examined the above Statement with the Books and Securities at the Head Office, and have found the same to be correct.

JAMES H. COX, Auditors.

R. LYALL, Auditors.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1890.

THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the report of the board of directors to the second ordinary meeting of shareholders to be held at the Hongkong Hotel, on Tuesday, the 25th February, 1890, at 4 p.m.:

The directors beg to submit to the shareholders the report and statement of accounts for six months ending 31st December, 1889.

After paying all running expenses, salaries, repairs, and all other current out-goings, there remains (including \$99.66 standing at debit of last account) the sum of \$1,097.55 at debit of Profit and Loss Account which is carried forward.

The gross receipts on account of the launch traffic for the last half year are in excess of those for the first six months of the year, but the diminution of the net earnings has been caused by the high price of coal.

BUSINESS.

In November last the Company arranged satisfactory terms with the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company whereby they secured that Company's business, at present the only regular ferry line between Pedder's Wharf and Kowloon Godowns.

The Company is receiving fair support in the general hiring business.

LAUNCHES.

Messrs. A. G. Gordon & Co., Ltd. have built and delivered to the Company the two launches which are named "Perseverance" and "Punctuality," mentioned in the last report, and they are found very suitable for the Ferry service and general purposes of the Company.

DIRECTORS.

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SPECIAL attention is called to our extensive display of choice and fashionable materials for SUITINGS, ULSTERINGS, OVERCOATINGS, TROUSERINGS, &c., comprising the latest Novelties and finest quality Goods ever imported to the East.

### RACE JACKETS, RACE CAPS, RACE JACKETS,

IN SILK OR SATIN, ALL SHADES, ANY DESIGN.

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### HONGKONG TRADING CO., LTD.

(Late THE HALL & HOLTZ C. Co., Ltd.)

Hongkong, 7th February, 1890.

them for \$1.70 and sold them for \$2.50. From

acquires he. Detective Keeling had made, he

learned that the capsules, labels and corks

were used extensively on bottles filled with com-

ponents purporting to represent Bullock, Lyde &

Co's Extra Special Liguer Whisky, and sold to

some of the native stockholders, who offered it for

sale as being the genuine article. Many of the

bottles being afterwards shipped to Hongkong.

The Magistrate remembered the previous

case which was brought up in November last,

and stated that he would issue another search

warrant, which he would hand to the police to

execute to avoid further mistakes. He then

remanded the hawk and sentenced two of

the coolies to 100 blows each on the hand and

the other one to 50 blows.

The sentences were carried out by the Ma-

gistrate's officers, who seized the unfortunate

wretches, one having hold of each victim's pig-

tail, and two holding out his hands, while an-

other delivered the blows with a short bamboo,



## Insurances.

## THE FUNDS

OF THE STANDARD LIFE OFFICE ARE invested entirely within the British Dominions and are thus free from the complications which might arise in time of war. They now amount to Six and three-quarter Millions Sterling, and are increasing yearly. A marked preference continues to be shown for STANDARD POLICIES, and every year since 1865, New Assurances for upwards of £1,000,000 have been placed on the books—a result continued uninterruptedly for so long a period by no other British Office.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents, Hongkong.

## FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 1st July, 1889.

## GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY IN LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates.

REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 1st July, 1889.

## THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at Current Rates.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 5th November, 1889.

## NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN-YUEN, Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 1st February, 1889.

## GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL TAELS 600,000. \$835,333.33.

RESERVE FUND.....\$318,000.00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LEE SING, Esq. LO YUEN MOON, Esq.

LOU TAO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER.—HO, AMEL.

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.

Hongkong, 17th December, 1889.

## Shipping.

## STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.

THE Company's Steamship

"FORMOSA."

Captain Hall, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 16th instant, at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARPAK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1890.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON.

THE Company's Steamship

"OANFA."

W. S. Thomson, Commander, will be despatched for the above Port, TO-MORROW, the 16th instant, at NOON.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 15th February, 1890.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK.

THE Company's Steamship

"MONGKUT."

Captain J. Fowler, will be despatched for the above Ports, on TUESDAY, the 18th instant, at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Agents.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1890.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

(Calling at TIMOR, PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

THE Steamship

"AIRLIE."

Captain Ellis, will be despatched for the above Ports, on TUESDAY, the 25th instant, at DAYLIGHT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 14th February, 1890.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE Steamship

"MERIONETHSHIRE."

Captain Dowling, will be despatched on or about the 4th March.

This Steamer has superior Passenger Accommodation.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 5th February, 1890.

## Shipping.

## STEAMERS.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, HOEDEIDAH, MASSUA, JEDDAH, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, and VENICE, (taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT, and ADRIATIC PORTS).

THE Company's Steamship

"POSEIDON"

will be despatched as above, on the 18th inst., at 11 A.M.

Cargo will not be received on board after 5 P.M. prior to date of sailing.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 15th February, 1890.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA, VIA INLAND SEA.

THE Steamship

"FLINTSHIRE."

Captain Davies, will be despatched for the above Ports, on the 17th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 10th February, 1890.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

THE Company's Steamship

"CHANGSHA."

Williams, Commander, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 20th inst., at NOON.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloons and Cabins are situated forward of the engines. Second Class Passengers are Berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating chamber ensures the supply of fresh provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is on board.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, 11th February, 1890.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"MASSILIA"

will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mail.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1890.

## Mails.

## NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

## NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;

ALSO, LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA.

ON SUNDAY, the 16th day of February 1890, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship "BRAUNSCHWEIG" Captain A. Meier, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE & CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at GENOA.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on Board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m., on 15th February. (Parcels are not to be sent on Board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 22nd January 1890.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE,

VIA THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY AND OTHER CONNECTING RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.

THE British Steamship

"PARTHIA"

3167 Tons Register, Captain F. H. Wallace, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., via INLAND SEA, KOBE & YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 6th March, at NOON.

To be followed by the S.S. "BATAVIA" on the 3rd April and "ABYSSINIA" on the 24th April.

Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports; and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast Ports by the regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship Company and other Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic Lines of Steamers.

First-class Fares granted as follows:—To Vancouver and Victoria.....\$310.00 To Montreal New York, &c.....290.00 To Liverpool.....325.00 To London.....330.00 To other European Ports at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific, or Canadian Pacific Railways.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central.

C. D. HARMAN, Agent.

Hongkong, 15th February, 1890.

Occidental and Oriental Steamship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE;

VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship

"OCEANIC"

will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 15th March, at 1 P.M.

Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received at the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing.

First-class Fares granted as follows:—To San Francisco.....\$225.00 To San Francisco and return.....393.75 To Liverpool.....325.00 To London.....330.00 To other European Ports at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

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Hongkong, 15th February, 1890.

THE U.S. Mail Steamship

"CITY OF PEKING"

will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th February, at NOON, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, and Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic Lines of Steamers.

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ALSO, BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship

"SUTLEY," Captain W. D. Worcester, R.N.R., with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON via BOMBAY & SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th February, at NOON.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 P.M., on the day before sailing.

Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed, via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the direct route via Colombo.

For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for Marseilles.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 14th February 1890.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

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